THE HONORABLE JOHN C. COUGHENOUR 1 2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE 8 9 RUSSELL D. HICKMAN, CASE NO. C21-5297-JCC 10 Plaintiff, ORDER v. 11 GRAYS HARBOR SUPERIOR COURT, 12 13 Defendant. 14 15 The Court, having reviewed the Report and Recommendation ("R&R") of the Honorable David W. Christel, United States Magistrate Judge (Dkt. No. 5), the lack of objections thereto, 16 and the relevant record, hereby ORDERS: 17 18 1. The Court ADOPTS the R&R (Dkt. No. 5). 19 2. Plaintiff's claims are DISMISSED without prejudice, Plaintiff's motion to proceed in 20 forma pauperis (Dkt. No. 1) is DENIED as moot, and this case is considered a strike 21 under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g). 22 3. The Clerk is DIRECTED to send copies of this Order to Plaintiff and to the 23 Honorable David W. Christel. 24 // 25 26 ORDER C21-5297-JCC

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

DATED this 13th day of August 2021.

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